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Replacement Paragraph 13

[0013] FIG. 1 is a front view of a first preferred embodiment of a head cover in accordance with the invention, depicting an elongated fastener in a closed configuration extending longitudinally along the head cover, showing the golf club in an exploded relationship with portions of the golf club shaft cut away for clarity.

Replacement Paragraph 19

[0019] With reference to the illustrative drawings, and particularly to FIG. 1, there is shown a head cover 10 for a golf club generally sized to conformably receive a club head 100 of a golf club 102 with shaft 104. The head cover includes an upper end 12 that forms an inner compartment for the club head 100 and a lower end 14 that defines an opening 16 sized to wrap about [[a]] the shaft 104 of for the golf club. An elongated fastener 18 formed by aligned longitudinal edges 20 extends from the lower end of the head cover toward the upper portion thereof. Each longitudinal edge includes a hollow cord 24 along its length. Magnetic strips 26 (FIG. 3) are disposed within the cords, thereby operating the fastener via magnetic force. With the fastener engaged, the head cover is securely affixed to the golf club. With the fastener disengaged (see FIG. 2), the opening is enlarged to facilitate easy installation and removal of the head cover about the golf club. Moreover, as the fastener is operable via magnetic force, engagement and disengagement of the fastener is achieved without undue manipulation, thereby promoting frequent use of the head cover.